UG- Philosophy- Semester I

Indian Philosophy

Paper	: MDC- 1	Full Marks: 100
Title of the Paper	: Indian Philosophy	Credit: 3
ESE : 70		CIA: 30

Course Objectives:

To understand the basics of Indian philosophy and the theories that are practical in today's world.

Course Learning Outcomes:

The student will be introduced to the most general concepts of Indian philosophy through which he can further proceed for detailed study of any Indian philosophical system.

MDC 1- Indian Philosophy		
Unit	**Topics to be covered**	**No. of Lectures**
1	Introduction to Indian philosophy: Vedas, Upanishads, Astika and Nastika Systems.	7
2	Indian Epistemology: Prama, Aprama, Pratyaksha,Anumana, Shabda, Upamana,Anuplabdhi and Arthapatti	10
3	The philosophy of Gita: Loksamgraha, Niskama karma, Svadharma and Karmayoga	8
4	The fundamentals of Yoga: Ashtanga Yoga	5
Total		30

Suggested Readings:

1. Chatterjee, S.C. & D.M. Datta (1984), An Introduction to Indian Philosophy, reprint, University of Calcutta.
2. Dasgupta, S.N. (2004), A History of Indian Philosophy, vol.1, Delhi, Motilal Banarasidass Publishers, Pvt. Ltd.
3. Hiriyana, M: (1951), Outlines of Indian Philosophy, London: Allen & Unwin.
4. Sharma, C.D. (2003) Critical Survey of Indian Philosophy, Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass
5. Shastri, Haridatta, Bhartiya Darshan Ka Itihas.(Hindi)
6. Upadhaya, Baldeva. Bhartiya Darshan (Hindi), Banaras.

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Examination Pattern

CIA	-	**30 marks**
ESE	-	**70 marks**

(i) **The components of C.I.A. are follows:**

(i) Two mid-semester written tests of one hour duration each = **15 Marks**

(ii) Assignment = **10 Marks**

(iii) Punctuality and conduct = **05 Marks**

Total = 30 Marks

(ii) The question paper pattern of End Semester Examination **(ESE)** shall consists of three parts-

Part A -Compulsory - consisting of objective/multiple choice type-each carrying two marks **10x02-20 marks**

Part B-Short Answer Type-Four questions to be answered out of six questions-each carrying five marks **04x05-20 marks**

Part C-Long Answer Type- Three questions to be answered out of five questions-each carrying ten marks **03x10-30 marks**

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UG- Philosophy- Semester II

Introduction to Ethics

Paper : MDC- 2 **Full Marks: 100**

Title of the Paper : Introduction to Ethics **Credit : 3**

ESE : 70 **CIA: 30**

Course Objectives:

To acquaint the student with the various theories of moral philosophy and introduce him to the relevant problems in the modern world.

Course Learning Outcomes:

The student will get to know about different disciplines of moral philosophy and will be aptly placed in a position to analyse the ethical problems of the present world.

MDC 2- Introduction to Ethics		
Unit	**Topics to be covered**	**No. of Lectures**
1	Indian Ethics: Ashrams, Purusharthas, Rta and Rna, Satya and Ahimsa	7
2	Western Ethics: Values, Virtues, Hedonism, Egoism, Altruism, Utilitarianism, Rigorism and Perfectionism.	10
3	Professional Ethics: Moral Issues in Professions, Integrity, Work Ethics, Courage, Empathy, Self-confidence, professional ideas and Virtue.	8
4	Applied Ethics: Human Rights, Punishment, Suicide, Female Foeticide, Introduction to Environmental, Medical and Media Ethics.	5
Total		**30**

Suggested Readings:

1. Singer Peter,(1986) Applied Ethics Oxford, Oxford University Press
2. Piet John H,. and Prasad Ayodhya (eds),(2000) An Introduction to Applied Ethics. New Delhi, Cosmo Publications
3. Sharma, I.C.(1962) Ethical Philosophies of India, New York, U.S.A. Johnsen Publishing Company
4. Frankena Williams. (1988). Ethics , Prantice Hall of India, Pearson; 2nd edition
5. Lillie, William., An Introduction to Ethics, Allied Publisher, Indian Print, 1955.

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Examination Pattern

CIA	-	30 marks
ESE	-	70 marks

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(i) Two mid-semester written tests of one hour duration each = **15 Marks**

(ii) Assignment = **10 Marks**

(iii) Punctuality and conduct = **05 Marks**

Total = 30 Marks

(ii) The question paper pattern of End Semester Examination **(ESE)** shall consists of three parts-

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Part C-Long Answer Type- Three questions to be answered out of five questions-each carrying ten marks **03x10-30 marks**

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UG- Philosophy- Semester III

Social and Political Philosophy

Paper	: MDC- 3	Full Marks : 100
Title of the Paper	: Social and Political Philosophy	Credit : 3
ESE : 70		CIA: 30

Course Objectives:

To introduce the student to the popular theories of social and political philosophy.

Course Learning Outcomes:

The student will develop a clear understanding about the development of the major systems in political and social studies. He will also get a glimpse of the relation of philosophy with political science and sociology.

MDC 3- Social and Political Philosophy		
Unit	**Topics to be covered**	**No. of Lectures**
1	Philosophy and its relation and distinction with Sociology and Political Philosophy.	7
2	Liberty, Equality, Fraternity	10
3	Democracy, Secularism, Socialism and Communism.	8
4	Manavvada (Nehru, Roy and Upadhyaya) , Sarvodaya, Satyagraha and Antyodaya.	5
Total		**30**

Suggested Readings:

1. Verma, Ashok: Prarambhik Rajnitik evam Samajik Darshan
2. Gandhi, M.K(1938).,Hind Swaraj, Ahmadabad, India Navjivan Publishing House
3. Raphael, D.D: Problems of Political Philosophy, Oxford University Press, 1978
4. Beck, R.N: Perspectives in Social Philosophy, MacMillan, 1964
5. Singh, B.N: Samaj Darshan evam Rajniti Darshan, Asha Prakashan, Varanasi

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Examination Pattern

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ESE	-	70 marks

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Total = 30 Marks

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